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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title):

CONTROL SYSTEM FOR CYLINDER CUT-OFF INTERNAL

COMBUSTION ENGINE

By (Inventors):

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Formal drawings (Figs. 1 - 17; 17 sheets) are attached.

A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.

An assignment of the invention to <u>HONDA MOTOR CO., LTD.</u> is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.

Priority of foreign application Nos. 2003-030812 filed February 7, 2003 and 2003-136954 filed May 15, 2003 in Japan and is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

Certified copies of the above corresponding foreign applications are attached.

The filing fee is calculated below and includes claim status after entry of any Preliminary Amendment noted above:

FOR:	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA	
BASIC FEE			
TOTAL CLAIMS	38 - 20	= 18	
INDEP CLAIMS	2 - 3	= 0	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS			

SMALL ENTITY			
RATE	FEE	<u>OR</u>	
	\$ 385	<u>OR</u>	
x 9 =	\$	<u>OR</u>	
x 43 =	\$	<u>OR</u>	
+145 =	\$	<u>OR</u>	
TOTAL	\$	<u>OR</u>	

	LARGE ENTITY			
	RATE	FEE		
	27	\$ 770		
	x 18	\$ 324		
	x 86	\$		
	+290	\$		
•	TOTAL	\$ 1094		

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A check in the amount of \$1,134.00 (\$1,094 for the filing fee and \$40 for the Assignment Recordation Fee) is attached. Please charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

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